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July 20, 2009

(BOW-GWMGMT-CAW) Mr. Kurt Cummings AVX Corporation 801 17th Ave. South Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Re:

Underground Injection Control Permit #SCHE03020132

AVX Corporation Site

Horry County

Dear Mr. Cummings:

Enclosed is a Permit to Operate five (5) Class V.A.-I (Aquifer Remediation) injection wells at the AVX Corporation Site, Horry County, SC.

Notice of Appeal Procedure

This decision of the S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control (Department) becomes the final agency decision 15 days after notice of the decision has been mailed to the applicant or respondent, unless a written request for final review is filed with the Department by the applicant, permittee, licensee, or affected person.

An applicant, permittee, licensee, or affected person who wishes to appeal this decision must file a written request for final review with the Clerk of the Board at the following address or by facsimile at 803-898-3323.

Clerk of the Board SC DHEC 2600 Bull Street Columbia, SC 29201

The request for final review should include the following:

- the grounds on which the Department's decision is challenged and the specific changes sought in the decision
- a statement of any significant issues or factors the Board should consider in deciding how to handle the matter
- a copy of the Department's decision or action under review

In order to be timely, a request for final review must be received by the Clerk of the Board within 15 days after notice of the decision has been mailed to the applicant or respondent. If the 15th day occurs on a weekend or State holiday, the request is due to be received by the Clerk of the Board on the next working day. The request for final review must be received by the Clerk of the Board by 5:00 p.m. on the date it is due.

If a timely request for final review is filed with the Clerk of the Board, the Clerk will provide additional information regarding procedures.

The Board of Health and Environmental Control has 60 days from the date of receipt of a request for final review to conduct a final review conference. The conference may be conducted by the Board, its designee, or a committee of three members of the Board appointed by the chair.

If a final review conference is not conducted within 60 days, the Department decision becomes the final agency decision, and a party may request a contested case hearing before the Administrative Law Court within 30 days after the deadline for the final review conference.

The above information is provided as a courtesy; parties are responsible for complying with all applicable legal requirements.

If you have any questions, please call Christopher Wargo at (803) 898-3799.

Sincerely

Christopher Wargo, Hydrogeologist Groundwater Management Section

Bureau of Water

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WATER MONITORING ASSESSMENT & PROTECTION DIVISION

Injection Well Operating Approval

for

Class II, III, and V.A. Injection Well(s)

Permit #SCHE03020132

In accordance with the provisions of Title 48, Chapter 1, South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976, as amended, and pursuant to receiving a Permit to Operate five (5) Class V.A.-I (Aquifer Remediation) injection wells, authorization is granted to AVX Corporation to operate five (5) Class V.A.-I (Aquifer Remediation) injection wells located at the AVX Corporation Site, Horry County, SC, and are subject to the attached provisos noted for the operator.

The Class V.A.-I injection wells are two (2) inches in diameter and approximately thirty-nine to forty-two (39-42) feet deep

Pursuant to Title 48, Chapter 1, South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976, as amended, this authorization may be rescinded if these injection wells should, at any time, contaminate, pollute, or otherwise adversely affect other water in the vicinity or for any other conditions contained in R61-87, Title 48, Chapter 1, South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976, as amended.

Expires: July 20, 2012

Rob Devlin, Manager

Groundwater Management Section

Bureau of Water

Date July 20, 2009

Date of Issue: July 20, 2009

Provisions to the Injection Well Operating Approval for Underground Injection Well Permit #SCHE03020132 AVX Corporation Horry County, S.C. July 20, 2009

- 1) Construction of new or abandonment of existing wells must be reported to the Department within thirty (30) days of completion.
- Only molasses solution as described in the corrective action plan may be injected into the subsurface at the five (5) Class V.A.-I (Aquifer Remediation) injection wells. Any changes in the system operation other than as presented in the UIC Permit Application must be reported to the Department <u>prior</u> to implementation.